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PATENT

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Applicants: David Charles Schwartz, *et al.*

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Title: MICRO-CHANNEL LONG MOLECULE  
MANIPULATION SYSTEM

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 C.F.R. § 1.121)**

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P O Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 6, 2006 regarding the amendment filed on December 29, 2003, applicants were given one month to correct the drawings. Applicants attach four (4) sheets of the formal drawings, including Figures 1-18, labeled "Replacement Sheets" in the top header pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(d).

Fees

No fee is believed due in connection with this submission. However, if a fee is due, in this or any subsequent response, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 17-0055.

Likewise, no extension of time is believed due, but should any extension be required in this or any subsequent response, please consider this to be a petition for the appropriate extension of time and a request to charge the petition fee due to the same Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bennett J. Berson", is written over a horizontal line.

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